# NE FLORIDA LEPC/CSX PUBLIC/PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP

2017 Training and Exercise Initiative

# NORTHEAST FLORIDA LEPC

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✤7 Counties

• Baker, Clay, Duval, Flagler, Nassau, Putnam, & St. Johns

✤27 Municipalities

3 Regional Hazardous Materials Teams

- Clay County F/R
- Jacksonville F/R
- St. Johns County F/R



Transportation network encompasses 21,000 route miles of track in 23 states, the District of Columbia and the Canadian provinces of Ontario and Quebec.

Nearly two-thirds of Americans live within CSX's service territory.



### PLANNING BEGAN IN 2016

 5 member planning team
 CSX, LEPC, Clay County, Jacksonville, & St. Johns County

- 1. Agencies discussed training needs for rail in the district
- 2. CSX discussed opportunities to address those needs through classes and hands-on training

### THE PLAN FOR 2017

Provide Awareness level training at local departments with the use of a mobile dome trailer

Provide Operations/Scenario-based training with the use of the CSX Safety Train

• Training on cars and commodities on top 10 list in the district

Conduct a Regional Hazardous Materials Exercise using the CSX Safety Train

### AWARENESS TRAINING

A hour course (2 hours classroom, 1 hour hands-on with railcar domes)
 Conducted by CSX staff (Brooke Martin) and contractors

Total of 16 classes offered in the region from January to March 2017
Total of 218 participants

# AWARENESS TRAINING

#### Macclenny Fire Dept.

#### Palatka Fire Dept.







#### Morning Session: Field Rotations – 30 minutes each

- Tank Cars (General Service, 112, 105)
- Flat Cars (112 Midland Kit & 105 Chlorine Kit)
- Locomotive

Lunch Provided by CSX

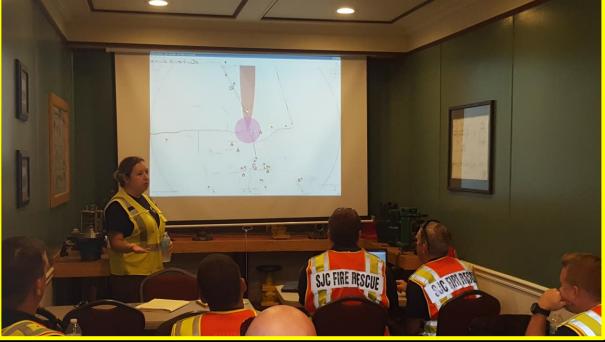
Afternoon Session: Field Scenario Exercises in PPE

#### Conducted April 3, 4, 5 in Green Cove Springs

3 Regional HazMat Teams & 44<sup>th</sup> CST/SERFP from the Florida Nat'l Guard

Total of 119 participants





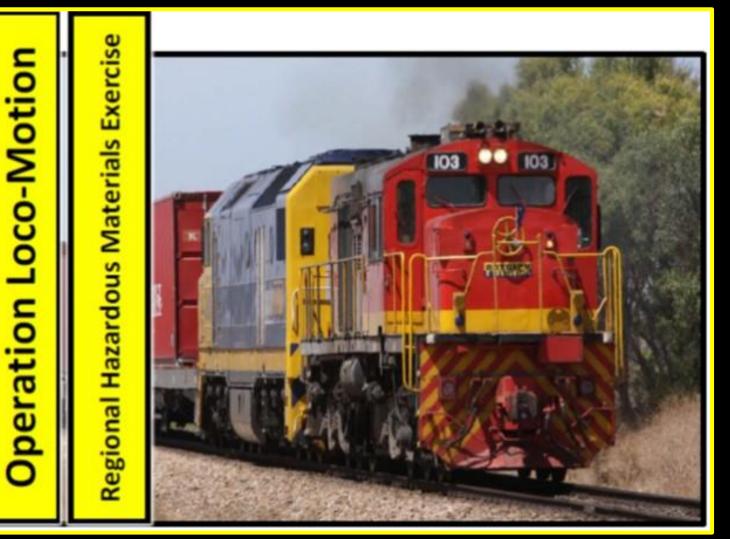








## REGIONAL HAZARDOUS MATERIALS EXERCISE

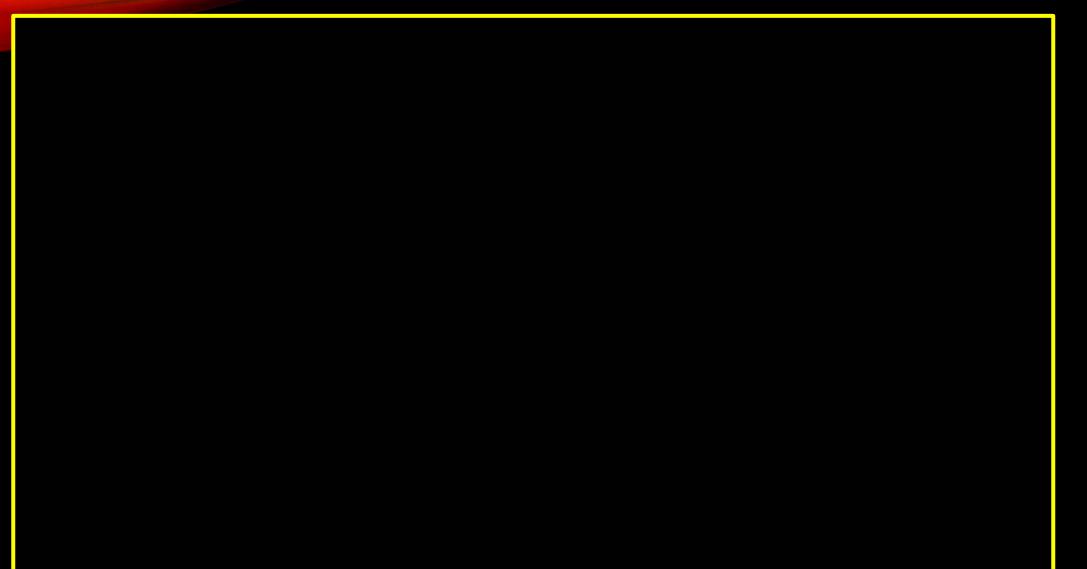


### REGIONAL HAZARDOUS MATERIALS EXERCISE

This was an Exercise of the LEPC Hazardous Materials Response Plan

- To be conducted at least once every 2 years
- Evaluation objectives associated to:
  - Operational Coordination
  - Operational Communication
  - Environmental Response/Health & Safety

# EXERCISE VIDEO



# QUESTIONS?

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